

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 17 Dec 1951	2. LOCATION McDonough Georgia	12. CONCLUSIONS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Was Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Was Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Was Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Insufficient Data for Evaluation <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT _____	4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ground-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Ground-Radar <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Intercept Radar	
5. PHOTOS <input type="checkbox"/> Yes PHYSICAL SPECIMEN <input type="checkbox"/> No	6. SOURCE Civilian	
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION - - -	8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS 1	9. COURSE - - -
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Dobbins AFB, Georgia CO requested identification of balloon. Persons who found object described it as a plastic balloon 30 ft in diameter with three nylon shroud lines and simple cord and snap device for load suspension. Suspension cord cut in manner indicating blasting.	11. COMMENTS Balloon. Navy authorities furnished information that balloon was probably used by ATC for training purposes. 12. COMMENTS Balloon. Navy authorities furnished information that balloon was probably used by ATC for training purposes.	

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EXTRACT FROM STATUS REPORT # 3

DATE: 12 Dec 51

TIME (Local): 2150

LOCATION: Hastings, Minn.

LENGTH OF TIME OBSERVED: 3 - 4 Min.

SOUND: None

SPEED: 380 - 400 mph

ALTITUDE: 9,000'

HEADING Unknown

SOURCE: USAF Pilot

ACTION OR COMMENTS: No conclusions

DESCRIPTION OF INCIDENT: White object resembling a kite about 1000' below a/c.